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SUMMARY OF THE CONTENTS OF THIS NUMBER.

The areas in Belgium occupied by beans, rape, tobacco, clover, meadows and be cut and orchards are smaller than those for last year. The areas of carrots, turnips and sainfoin are stationary. The acreages of all other summer crops have increased.

The coconut crop of ceylon is expected to be 15 to 20 per cent smaller than for the 1921-22 season.

The wheat production of France for 1922 is 27 per cent less than for last year. Maslin and rye crops are smaller than in 1921 but the barley and oats harvests are increased.

SUMMARY OF THE CONTENTS OF THIS NUMBER,-CONTINUED.

The areas occupied by wheat, flax, oats and barley in Uruguay for the crop year 1922-23 are all much smaller than for the year preceding, nearly 40 per cent of the area originally sown having been destroyed by heavy rains.

The wheat crop of Yugoslavia is estimated to be about 7 per cent less than that of 1921. The corn crop forecast is about 22 per cent less than the crop of last year. The barley and oats crops are also smaller than for 1921 but the rye is greater.

The world production of oats for 1922, in so far as statistics are available, amounts to 3,113,234,000 bushels. The total production of 24 countries amounts to 3,017,538,000 bushels as compared with 2,742,438,000 bushels for the same countries last year and an average production of 3,007,732,000 bushels for 1909-13. The principal countries for which no estimates have been received as yet are Austria, Denmark, Norway, Russia, and Australia. The production for the United States and Canada for 1922 amounted to 1,788,132,000 bushels as compared with 1,486,970,000 bushels last year. For 15 countries in Europe the 1922 production is 1,169,845,000 bushels against 1,175,223,000 bushels last year.

During the past year the prices of No. 3 white oats at Minneapolis ranged from 27 cents, lowest price, on October 22 and November 5, 1921 to 36 3/4 cents, highest price, on May 19, 1922. During the same period prices for No. 2 C. W. oats in Winnipeg ranged from 40 1/4 cents, lowest price on November 19, 1921 to 56 1/2 cents, highest price, on May 19, 1922.

The average prices of oats in Great Britain for the week ending June 24, 1922 was 89 cents as compared with 91 cents for the corresponding week the year before and \$1.60 in 1920.

Exports of oats from Argentina in 1921 though only about half the pre-war average were practically the same as in 1920 or approximately 27,000,000 bushels. In 1921, the United States exported 9,000,000 bushels as compared with 17,000,000 bushels in 1920 and 13,000,000 during the period 1911-13. Exports from Canada, however, were more than double what they were in 1920 or during the pre-war years. Imports into the United Kingdom amounted to 34,000,000 bushels in 1921 as compared with 25,000,000 bushels in 1920 but were nearly 50 per cent less than the average for 1911-13, while imports into France declined from 31,000,000 bushels during the pre-war years to 9,000,000 bushels in 1921.

Index prices for potatoes, wheat, barley and oats in Great Britain decreased materially from August to September on the basis of prices for the corresponding months of 1911-13.

PRELIMINARY ESTIMATE OF SPRING SHOWINGS IN BELGIUM IN 1922 COMPARED WITH
1920 AND 1921.

Crops.	Area.		
	1920,	1921,	1922,
	Final figure.	Final figure.	Preliminary.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Wheat (summer).....	.....	3,000	11,000
Barley (summer)	9,000	10,000	18,000
Oats	586,000	603,000	708,000
Buckwheat.....	6,000	2,000	4,000
Broad Beans	40,000	40,000	39,000
Peas	15,000	13,000	16,000
Flax	125,000	37,000	41,000
Rape	3,000	3,000	1,000
Tobacco	7,000	7,000	5,000
Hops	4,000	4,000	5,000
Chickory	22,000	14,000	21,000
Sugar beets	131,000	142,000	146,000
Fodder beets	175,000	183,000	204,000
Carrots	4,000	4,000	4,000
Turnips, turnip cabbage, and rutabaga.....	19,000	18,000	18,000
Potatoes	366,000	419,000	442,000
Clover	317,000	320,000	183,000
Alfalfa	25,000	24,000	26,000
Sainfoin	10,000	11,000	11,000
Orchards	155,000	158,000	152,000
Meadows to be cut	582,000	571,000	561,000
Pastures	611,000	637,000	662,000
Other forage plants	36,000	36,000	122,000

(Source: Ministère de L'Agriculture et des Travaux Publics - No. 8,
Evaluation Provisionne des Ensemencements du Printemps 1922.)

THE COCONUT INDUSTRY IN CEYLON.

Due to a serious shortage of rainfall in Ceylon it is expected that the coconut crop for 1922-23 will be 15 to 20 per cent less than for the previous season.

(Source: Consular Report, Colombo, Ceylon, September 13, 1922).

PRODUCTION OF CEREALS IN FRANCE IN 1922 COMPARED WITH 1913
AND 1921.

Crop.	1913 (final).			1921 (Final).	1922.
	France.	Alsace- Lorraine.	Total.		
	1,000 bushels:	1,000 bushels:	1,000 bushels:	1,000 bushels:	1,000 bushels.
Wheat...	319,370	8,747	328,117	323,467	235,380
Maslin...	5,666	^a		5,878	4,451
Rye.....	50,055	3,657	53,712	44,392	37,600
Barley...	47,939	^b 4,991	^c 52,930	38,318	39,540
Oats	357,049	14,465	371,514	244,455	238,250

(Source: 1913, Journal Officiel de la Republique Francaise, January 3, 1922, p. 175. 1921 and Maslin, 1922; Le Bulletin des Halles, Bourses, et Marches October 7, 1922, quoting the French Ministry of Agriculture. Other crops 1922; cable from International Institute of Agriculture.)

^a. No data collected. ^b. Spring barley only. ^c. Excludes winter barley in Alsace-Lorraine.

ACREAGE OF CROPS IN URUGUAY FOR 1921-22 AND 1922-23 WITH AVERAGE
FOR 1909-13.

Crop.	Average ^a , 1908-09-11 1912-13	1921-22.	1922-23.*
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Wheat	733,882	812,100	492,530
Flax	105,801	60,900	44,362
Oats	45,517	106,900	71,187
Barley	5,156	2,700	1,683
Bird Seed	852	.....	692

(Source: 1909-13; Anuario Estadistica de la Republica oriental del Uruguay, Libro XXIV Montevideo 1921, p. 283-285 - 1921-22, International Institute of Agriculture, Crop Reports, September 1922.

1922-23, cable from U. S. Agricultural Commissioner in Buenos Aires, October 23, 1922).

^a. Four year average, no figures available for 1909-10.

* Heavy rains are reported to have destroyed about 40 per cent of the area originally sown.

CEREAL CROPS OF YUGOSLAVIA.

According to estimates furnished by Louis G. Michael, Consulting Specialist, who is making an investigation of agricultural conditions in the Balkans the cereal production of Yugoslavia for 1922 is not only far below the pre-war estimate but it is below the figures for 1921 which was considered a very bad crop year in that country. The seeding of winter wheat in the southern districts was hindered by early snow, and in the summer severe drought injured the corn crop particularly in the northern districts. The total area seeded to corn was larger than in 1920 but the yield was 40 per cent lower.

Areas Harvested.

Crop	Estimated pre-war average, a 1,000 Acres	1920 1,000 Acres	1921 1,000 Acres	1922 Estimated 1,000 Acres
Wheat.....	4,005	3,360	3,699	3,637
Rye	757	578	562	585
Barley	1,057	926	909	926
Oats	1,364	1,029	1,003	954
Corn	4,825	4,486	4,646	4,787
Total	11,989	10,579	10,819	10,889

Cereal Production

Crop	Estimated pre-war average, a 1,000 Bushels	1920 1,000 Bushels	1921 1,000 Bushels	1922 Estimated 1,000 Bushels
Wheat	63,700	43,011	51,809	48,250
Rye	10,150	6,507	6,263	7,100
Barley	20,250	11,699	13,378	13,050
Oats	33,530	22,242	18,906	16,200
Corn	111,300	101,136	73,788	57,400

(Source: Figures furnished by the Consulting Specialist on Agriculture in the Balkans).

a. It is impossible to get crop statistics for the same years all the regions now comprising the Yugoslavia state, and the figures given are not designated to give more than a general idea of pre-war conditions.

WORLD ACREAGE OF OATS, 1909-13, 1920, 1921 AND 1922.

Country.	Area.			
	Average, 1909-1913.	1920.	1921.	1922.
<u>NORTHERN HEMISPHERE.</u>	1,000 Acres.	1,000 Acres.	1,000 Acres.	1,000 Acres.
<u>NORTH AMERICA.</u>				
United States *	37,357	42,491	44,826	41,822
Canada *	9,597	15,850	16,949	16,056
Mexico				
Total North America.....	46,954	58,341	61,775	57,878
Total North American Coun- tries marked *	46,954	58,341	61,775	57,878
<u>EUROPE.</u>				
Austria	a 4,613	627	662	.....
Czechoslovakia.....	.....	1,991	1,953	2,021
Belgium *	644	586	603	b 701
Bulgaria *	a 455	345	407	367
Denmark *	1,028	1,091	1,112	1,118
Finland *	c 987	1,013	1,032	988
France *	a 9,801	8,273	8,421	7,905
Germany *	a 10,750	7,940	7,814	7,905
Greece .....	.....	273	.....	.....
Hungary *	a 2,669	802	806	818
Serbia *	266	.....	.....	.....
Croatia Slavonia *	246	.....	.....	.....
Bosnia Herzegovina *	225	.....	.....	.....
Yugoslavia * .....	.....	1,039	1,003	954
Italy *	a 1,253	a 1,159	a 1,129	1,212
Luxemburg *	77	63	64	66
Netherlands *	346	395	393	392
Norway	266	342	342	.....
Rumania*	a 1,105	2,165	3,062	3,259
Russia (European)	a 39,203	.....	.....	.....
Estonia .....	.....	.....	353	.....
Latvia .....	.....	533	622	675
Lithuania .....	.....	.....	736	.....
Poland *	a 2,858	4,118	4,753	5,718
Spain *	1,276	1,583	1,575	1,512
Sweden *	1,969	1,752	1,757	1,757
Switzerland *	81	56	52	51
United Kingdom:				
England and Wales *	2,039	2,266	2,148	2,161
Scotland *	952	1,032	1,012	987
Ireland	1,049	1,332	1,254	.....

WORLD ACREAGE OF OATS, 1909-13, 1920, 1921 AND 1922,-CONT'D.

Country.	Area.			
	Average, 1909-1913.	1920.	1921.	1922.
<u>NORTHERN HEMISPHERE.</u>	1,000 Acres.	1,000 Acres.	1,000 Acres.	1,000 Acres.
<u>EUROPE,-CONT'D.</u>				
Total United Kingdom	4,040	4,630	4,414	.....
Total Europe	84,158	40,765	43,171	40,567
Total European Countries marked *	39,027	35,677	37,209	37,871
<u>ASIA.</u>				
Cyprus .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Japan	b	282	.....	b 306
Russia (Asiatic)	4,912	.....	.....	.....
Total Asia	4,912	282	.....	306
<u>AFRICA.</u>				
Algeria *	456	b 578	b 550	b 583
French Morocco .....	.....	b 6	.....	.....
Tunis *	141	b 150	b 165	b 119
Total Africa	597	734	725	702
Total African Countries marked *	597	728	725	702
Total Northern Hemisphere	136,621	100,122	105,669	99,453
Total Northern Hemisphere Countries marked * ..	86,578	94,746	99,707	96,451
Country.	Average, 1908-1909- 1912-1913.	1919-20.	1920-21.	1921-22.
<u>SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE.</u>	1,000 Acres.	1,000 Acres.	1,000 Acres.	1,000 Acres.
Argentina *	1,999	23,301	2,061	2,105
Chile *	66	64	60	b 79
Uruguay *	d 46	81	b 75	b 107
Australia	708	1,063	937	.....
New Zealand*	376	180	143	171
Union of South Africa .....	.....	b 556	b 562	b 530
Total Southern Hemisphere	3,197	4,252	3,846	2,992
Total Southern Hemisphere Countries marked*	2,489	2,626	2,545	2,462

WORLD ACREAGE OF OATS, 1909-1913, 1920, 1921 AND 1922,--CONT'D.

Country.	Average,	1919-20.	1921-21.	1921-22.
	1908-1909.			
	1912-1913.			
<u>SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE,--CONT'D:</u> 1,000 Acres: 1,000 Acres: 1,000 Acres. : 1,000 Acres.				
World Total	139,818	102,574	109,515	102,445
Total World Countries marked *	89,067	97,372	102,052	98,913

(Source: Official sources unless otherwise stated).

- a. Old boundaries.
 b. International Institute.
 c. Census Year 1910.
 d. Figures for 1909-10 not available.

WORLD PRODUCTION OF OATS, 1909-13, 1920, 1921 AND 1922.

Country.	Production.			
	Average,	1920.	1921.	1922.
	1909-1913.			
<u>NORTHERN HEMISPHERE.</u> 1,000 bushels: 1,000 bushels: 1,000 bushels: 1,000 bushels				
<u>NORTH AMERICA.</u>				
United States *	1,131,175	1,496,261	1,060,737	1,229,774
Canada *	351,690	530,710	426,233	558,358
Mexico	17			
Total North America	1,482,882	2,026,991	1,486,970	1,788,132
Total North American Countries marked *	1,482,865	2,026,991	1,486,970	1,788,132
<u>EUROPE.</u>				
Austria	a 143,392	15,974	18,643	
Czechoslovakia		59,654	72,087	b 64,520
Belgium*	40,905	35,865	35,225	b 27,558
Bulgaria *	a 9,880	7,004	11,271	b 11,472
Denmark	43,115	50,794	52,158	
Finland *	21,989	22,561	28,029	b 28,647
France *	a 310,020	291,406	242,455	b 288,251
Germany *	a 591,996	332,490	342,812	284,585
Greece		3,996	4,134	
Hungary *	a 85,340	22,307	21,964	22,293
Serbia *	5,443			

WORLD PRODUCTION OF OATS, 1909-13, 1920, 1921 AND 1922,-CONT'D.

Country.	Production.			
	Average 1909-1913.	1920.	1921.	1922.
<u>NORTHERN HEMISPHERE.</u>	1,000 bushels:	1,000 bushels:	1,000 bushels:	1,000 bush
<u>EUROPE,-CONT'D.</u>				
Croatia Slavonia *	5,216			
Bosnia Herzegovina *	2,973			
Yugoslavia *		22,242	18,906	16,200
Italy *	<u>a</u> 36,945	<u>a</u> 24,223	<u>c</u> 38,401	30,589
Luxemburg	3,382	1,849	1,243	
Netherlands *	18,512	20,443	20,001	<u>b</u> 16,430
Norway	10,245	15,078	12,960	
Rumania *	<u>a</u> 27,545	34,342	66,357	<u>b</u> 75,784
Russia (European)	<u>a</u> 904,547			
Estonia			3,840	
Latvia		7,784	16,843	17,792
Lithuania			18,154	
Poland *	<u>a</u> 76,590	129,061	150,266	<u>b</u> 185,331
Spain *	29,110	37,772	35,616	<u>b</u> 34,926
Sweden *	79,115	69,914	76,598	<u>b</u> 72,498
Switzerland *	4,784	3,118	3,036	2,466
United Kingdom:				
England and Wales *	82,024	65,968	60,264	74,800
Scotland	37,670	41,256	38,344	
Ireland	65,083	53,648	46,144	
Total United Kingdom	182,777	180,872	164,752	
Total Europe	2,636,321	1,408,749	1,466,773	1,252,142
Total European Countries marked *	1,430,887	1,153,716	1,175,323	1,169,830
<u>ASIA.</u>				
Cyprus	429			
Japan		<u>b</u> 11,162	<u>b</u> 12,086	<u>b</u> 13,434
Russia (Asiatic)	87,403			
Total Asia	87,832	11,162	12,086	13,434
<u>AFRICA.</u>				
Algeria *	12,950	<u>b</u> 6,855	<u>b</u> 10,334	<u>b</u> 5,570
French Morocco		<u>b</u> 228		
Tunis *	4,333	<u>b</u> 1,481	<u>b</u> 4,134	<u>b</u> 964
Total Africa	17,283	8,564	14,468	6,534
Total African Countries marked *	17,283	8,564	14,468	6,534

WORLD PRODUCTION OF OATS, 1909-13, 1920, 1921 AND 1922,-CONTINUED.

Country.	Production.			
	Average, 1909-1913.	1920.	1921.	1922.
<u>NORTHERN HEMISPHERES,-CONT'D.</u>	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Total Northern Hemisphere	4,224,318	3,455,466	2,980,297	3,060,242
Total Northern Hemisphere Countries marked *	2,931,035	3,194,043	2,616,661	2,964,496
Country.	Average, 1908-1909- 1912-1913.	1919-20.	1920-21.	1921-22.
	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
<u>SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE.</u>	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Argentina *	52,122	57,113	47,619	32,973
Chile *	2,934	2,590	3,155	3,144
Uruguay *	^d 830	1,479	1,989	2,069
Australia	14,851	12,556	18,521	.....
New Zealand *	13,664	6,968	5,225	6,753
Union of South Africa *	7,197	7,519	7,789	8,103
Total Southern Hemisphere	91,598	88,225	84,298	53,042
Total Southern Hemisphere Countries marked *	76,747	75,669	65,777	53,042
World total	4,315,916	3,543,691	3,064,595	3,113,284
Total World Countries marked *	3,007,782	3,269,712	2,742,438	3,017,538

(Source: Official Sources unless otherwise stated).

^a. Old boundaries.^b. International Institute of Agriculture.^c. Includes 627,000 bushels produced in the new territory of Venezia Tridentina and Venezia Giulia.^d. Figures for 1909-10 not available.

THE TREND OF OAT PRICES IN MINNEAPOLIS AND WINNIPEG DURING THE PAST YEAR.

Week ending.	Minnea- polis, No. 3, white oats.	Winnipeg, No. 2, C. W. oats.	Week ending.	Minnea- polis, No. 3, white oats.	Winnipeg, No. 2, C. W. oats.
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<u>1921.</u>					
August 6	32 1/4	52 7/8	March 10	35	52 5/8
August 13	30 3/4	53 1/4	March 17	33 1/8	50
August 20	28 3/4	51 1/2	March 24	33 5/8	49 3/8
August 27	30 1/2	50 3/8	March 31	33	48 1/2
September 3	31 1/4	50 1/2	April 7	33 1/8	47 5/8
September 10	33 1/2	48 3/8	April 14	34 1/4	49 7/8
September 17	33 5/8	47 1/3	April 21	35 1/8	53 1/8
September 24	33 1/3	48 3/8	April 28	36	54 1/4
October 1	31 1/4	47 3/8	May 5	36	53
October 8	28 3/4	47 3/8	May 12	36 1/4	55 3/4
October 15	27 3/8	46 1/4	May 19	36 3/4	56 1/2
October 22	27	44 5/8	May 26	35 3/8	55 3/8
October 29	28 1/8	42 1/4	June 2	34 1/2	55 5/8
November 5	27	41 3/8	June 9	33 3/8	54 5/8
November 12	29 1/4	44 7/8	June 16	32	52 3/4
November 19	29 3/8	40 1/4	June 23	33 1/8	52 1/4
November 26	30 1/2	42 7/8	June 30	35	52 5/8
December 3	30 3/8	45 1/8	July 7	34 1/2	53 1/2
December 10	30	46 1/8	July 14	33 1/4	51 3/4
December 17	29 3/8	47 1/8	July 21	32 1/2	50 3/8
December 24	30 1/2	46 1/2	July 28	30 1/2	50 3/4
December 31	31 1/8	42 5/8	August 4	29 3/4	51
			August 11	28 7/8	48 3/4
			August 18	28 1/8	45 7/8
			August 25	29	44 3/8
<u>1922.</u>					
January 5	30 1/8	42 5/8	September 1	30	45 1/8
January 12	31 5/8	43	September 8	31 1/2	47 1/8
January 19	31 3/4	41 5/8	September 15	32 1/4	46
January 27	32 5/8	45 1/8	September 22	34	48 3/4
February 3	32 7/8	45 3/8	September 29	34 1/4	43
February 10	34 3/8	47 1/2			
February 17	35 7/8	50 5/8			
February 24	35 3/4	51			
March 3	36 5/8	52 5/8			

(Source: Winnipeg Farmers Advocate and Home Journal, Winnipeg, August 10, 1922, p. 493. Minneapolis; Minneapolis Daily Market Record.

AVERAGE WEEKLY PRICES OF OATS IN GREAT BRITAIN, 1919 - 1922.

Months		1919-20		1920-21		1921-22	
		(1)		(1)		(1)	
		Price in	Price in	Price in	Price in	Price in	Price in
		English	U.S.	English	U. S.	English	U. S.
		money	money	money	money	money	money
		Per Qr.	Per Bu.	Per Qr.	Per Bu.	Per Qr.	Per Bu.
		s/d	Dollars	s/d	Dollars	s/d	Dollars
August	6	55/6	1.50	63/2	1.45	32/2	.72
	13	61/4	1.66	59/10	1.36	33/3	.76
	20	62/	1.60	57/10	1.30	32/1	.74
	27	61/10	1.63	55/4	1.24	32/3	.74
September	3	61/1	1.60	54/4	1.21	32/1	.75
	10	62/4	1.62	54/5	1.20	31/1	.73
	17	61/3	1.53	54/11	1.21	30/1	.70
	24	60/2	1.57	55/5	1.21	29/6	.69
October	1	59/6	1.56	55/11	1.22	28/10	.67
	8	58/10	1.54	56/	1.23	27/6	.65
	15	57/9	1.51	55/6	1.20	27/	.66
	22	57/5	1.50	54/9	1.18	25/1	.62
	29	56/4	1.47	54/4	1.13	24/5	.60
November	5	55/3	1.44	53/5	1.14	25/2	.62
	12	55/7	1.43	52/3	1.10	25/11	.64
	19	55/11	1.41	57/11	1.25	26/7	.66
	26	56/	1.42	43/11	1.07	27/9	.69
December	3	55/10	1.39	45/6	.99	28/	.71
	10	56/9	1.35	43/7	.94	28/6	.74
	17	56/3	1.35	42/4	.94	28/6	.74
	24	57/2	1.37	42/9	.94	28/4	.74
	31	57/8	1.36	41/5	.92	28/1	.74
January	7	57/7	1.36	43/1	.98	28/5	.75
	14	57/6	1.34	44/	1.03	28/1	.74
	21	57/10	1.31	43/11	1.04	28/4	.74
	28	58/7	1.30	43/11	1.01	29/	.77
February	4	58/9	1.13	41/10	1.00	29/1	.79
	11	59/9	1.26	39	.95	28/10	.78
	18	60/	1.27	36/1	.87	29/2	.80
	25	59/5	1.27	25/6	.86	29/7	.82

AVERAGE WEEKLY PRICES OF OATS IN GREAT BRITAIN, 1919 - 1922.

Months		1919-20		1920-21		1921-22	
		(1)		(1)		(1)	
		Price in	Price in	Price in	Price in	Price in	Price in
		English	U. S.	English	U. S.	English	U. S.
		money	money	money	money	money	money
		Per Qr.	Per Bu.	Per Qr.	Per Bu.	Per Qr.	Per Bu.
		s/d	Dollar	s/d	Dollar	s/d	Dollar
March	4	58/11	1.29	35/7	.87	30/1	.83
	11	57/11	1.36	35/2	.86	29/10	.81
	18	57/9	1.35	35/5	.87	30/1	.83
	25	56/5	1.36	35/11	.88	30/	.82
April	1	55/7	1.37	35/4	.87	29/10	.82
	8	55/2	1.37	35/5	.86	29/4	.81
	15	55/5	1.38	35/11	.88	29/	.80
	22	56/5	1.37	36/10	.90	29/6	.82
	29	56/6	1.36	37/5	.92	29/6	.82
May	6	57/7	1.39	37/11	.94	30/5	.84
	13	60/10	1.45	38/3	.97	31/8	.88
	20	60/1	1.43	38/3	.96	32/5	.90
	27	63/	1.54	38/3	.93	32/11	.92
June	3	63/4	1.56	39/	.95	33/7	.94
	10	63/10	1.57	38/9	.91	32/10	.92
	17	65/1	1.62	39/4	.93	32/10	.91
	24	64/7	1.60	38/11	.91	32/5	.89
July	1	65/	1.61	38/3	.90		
	8	64/9	1.60	39/4	.91		
	15	64/5	1.57	39/3	.89		
	22	64/7	1.54	37/2	.84		
	29	64/10	1.51	34/8	.77		

(Source: The London Grain, Seed and Oil Reporter, July 28, 1922).

(1) English Currency converted into United States Currency according to the rate of exchange prevailing on the several dates.

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN OATS, INCLUDING OAT MEAL, CALENDAR YEARS, AVERAGE 1911-13,
1920 AND 1921

Country	Average 1911-1913		1920		1921	
	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports
PRINCIPAL EXPORTING COUNTRIES	1,000 Bushels	1,000 Bushels	1,000 Bushels	1,000 Bushels	1,000 Bushels	1,000 Bushels
Algeria	93	1,296	3,670	1,891	(5) 579	(5) 6,043
Argentina	54	52,754		(5) 28,727		(5) 26,907
Australia	1,302	233	186	1,205	(5) 4	(5) 597
British So. Africa	179	262	485	115		
Bulgaria	(2) 53	273		699		
Canada	117	16,583	1,347	16,909	138	36,828
Chile		2,499	31	186		(5) 1,820
China	48	484	42	435		
Rumania	76	10,012		2,436		(5) 11,400
Russia	1,643	65,279				
United States	5,557	12,592	6,728	16,540	3,565	8,715
PRINCIPAL IMPORTING COUNTRIES						
Austria-Hungary	3,426	(3) 237	(4) 340		(4) 811	
Belgium	8,845	59	4,568	9	(5) 9,439	(5) 11
Cuba	1,361					
Denmark	4,125	151	91	25	(5) 618	(5) 134
Finland	1,187	433	265	(5)	26	(5) 47
France	30,746	122	18,133	4,876	(5) 9,417	(5) 4,661
Germany	41,320	30,844	243	265		
Italy	9,040	104	3,147	1	(5) 8,157	
Netherlands	41,901	33,814	2,080	433	3,591	454
Norway	693	39	59	184	947	9
Philippine Islands	486		100	(5)	101	
Sweden	6,055	2,342	562	605	3,021	1,269
Switzerland	12,484	(2) 15	3,704	16	5,826	
United Kingdom	64,755	1,411	24,862	1,690	33,792	896
Other countries	495	2,656	772	2,100		
TOTAL	236,047	234,499	71,435	79,357		

(1) Less than 500.

(2) One year

(3) Two-year average

(4) Austria only, new boundaries,

(5) International Institute of
Agriculture.

Source: Original official sources except where otherwise noted.

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The following table shows the percentage increase in average prices of the principal commodities sold by the farmer over the average prices ruling in the corresponding months of 1911-13.

Commodity	April	May	June	July	August	September
Wheat	57	62	60	53	53	25
Barley	49	49	53	49	48	26
Oats	49	53	57	55	59	31
Fat Cattle	65	70	71	70	70	56
Fat Sheep	125	140	121	107	103	90
Fat Pigs	90	91	32	94	92	84
Eggs	89	50	69	80	64	96
Poultry	83	130	116	103	85	85
Milk	42	27	28	53	70	70
Butter	49	54	59	79	77	76
Cheese	46	48	55	50	51	41
Potatoes	95	140	80	75	14	1
Hay	23	33	35	37	54	52

(Source: British Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Agricultural Market Report, October 6, 1922, p. 1).

Correction: In Vol. 5, No. 17, October 25, 1922, p. 271 the figure for Uruguay, 1908-09 to 1912-13 should have been preceded by note g instead of e. On page 272 the figure for Southern Rhodesia for 1908-09 to 1912-13 should be preceded by note g instead of note c and the figure for 1921-22 should be preceded by note b instead of note f.

